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DAILY WEATHER REPORT

Occasional showers or thunderstorms this morning. Little change in temperature today and tonight.

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AMERICAN AND BRITISH ARMIES IN SICILY CLOSE RANKS ON CENTER OF BATTLEFRONT; CONCERTED ASSAULT

Eisenhower's Headquarters Announce Junction of American Seventh Army and British Eighth Army Between Bronte and Cesaro — Plight of Enemy Becoming More Difficult Daily

By International News Service
ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN NORTH AFRICA, Aug. 10 — The American and British armies in Sicily today closed ranks on the center of the battlefield, establishing an unbroken line of Allied troops for a concerted assault on the key communications center of Randazzo.

Headquarters of Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower announced that the junction of the American Seventh Army and the British Eighth Army was effected when patrols of the Eighth linked with those on the right flank of the Americans between Bronte and Cesaro.

The official communiqué said that the plight of the Germans and Italians was becoming more difficult daily and that the Axis forces were fighting desperately to stave off doom.

Units of the American Seventh Army which went ashore behind the Axis lines west of Sant' Agata seized a coastal strip within five miles of Cape Orlando and took 1,500 prisoners, headquarters disclosed. The surprise maneuver

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Gasoline Deliveries Cut To 40% in Area

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 10—(INS)—Any relaxation of the pleasure driving ban in the Philadelphia area will be practically meaningless, it was predicted today.

Deliveries to stations have been cut to 40 per cent of wartime quotas. The wartime quotas were based on 60 per cent of consumption in 1941.

Oil industry spokesmen said the sharp cut for passenger cars will remain in effect for at least a week, due to heavy use of gasoline by commercial vehicles.

More Returns Made In Sale of Bonds and Stamps

In addition to the \$6000 worth of war savings stamps and bonds sold by the juniors and girl scouts, the McCrory store sold \$724.

The employees of the plants participating in helping to fill the pitchers and knowing how much each stamp meant to those in the fighting line are as follows:

Hunter Manufacturing Corp., \$3600; Paterson Parchment Paper Co., \$175; Fleetwings, \$350; Superior Zinc, \$70; Manhattan Soap Co., \$669; Bancroft-Hickey, \$100; Samuel Jackson Sons, \$17; Railway Specialties, \$100; Wm. H. Grundy Co., \$362.85; Wilson Distillery, \$50; Thomas L. Leedom Co., \$50; D. Landreth, \$14.80.

Rohm & Haas for the past two weeks has had a special war bond drive, and their personnel advises Mrs. J. L. Kilcoyne, chairman for Bensalem and Bristol areas, that the drive is far exceeding their expectations, therefore they did not buy any stamps, but put that money into war bonds.

WOMEN OF MOOSE TO MEET

The regular meeting of the Bristol Chapter, No. 763, Women of the Moose, will be held tonight in the Moose home at eight o'clock.

LOCAL WEATHER OBSERVATIONS FOR 24 HOUR PERIOD ENDING 8 A. M. AT ROHM & HAS WEATHER OBSERVATORY BRISTOL, PA.

Temperature Readings Maximum 91 F Minimum 79 F Range 21 F

Hourly Temperatures 8 a. m. yesterday 76 9 74 10 76 11 79 12 noon 81 1 p. m. 84 2 86 3 87 4 90 5 91 6 91 7 88 8 81 9 78 10 76 11 74 12 midnight 72 1 a. m. today 73 2 72 3 72 4 72 5 71 6 73 7 71 8 71

P. C. Relative Humidity 92 Precipitation (inches) 19

TIDES AT BRISTOL High water .. 11.06 a. m., 11.40 p. m. Low water .. 5.32 a. m., 6.05 p. m.

He has sounded a warning, which

THE WAR AT A GLANCE

By International News Service

Massive formations of British heavy bombers early today blasted

the German Rhineland industrial ports of Mannheim and Ludwigshafen in a renewal of the aerial war against the Reich.

While the Rhineland assault was under way RAF Mosquito bombers attacked objectives in the Ruhr and planes of the fighter command attacked enemy airfields and railroads in northern France and the low countries.

The British Air Ministry said only nine bombers were missing after the attacks. Two enemy planes were shot down in combat.

The new raids on the Reich were the first since Saturday, when Mosquito bombers also attacked the

Rhine.

The assaults, carried out in the darkness after midnight, followed reports that the Germans were evacuating Stettin, port of Berlin, in growing fear of Allied aerial

bombing, and a dispatch from Ankara by way of Moscow which said

the Romanian oil center recently assaulted by American bombers, had been placed under a state of siege because of widespread sabotage.

In Russia, forward surging Red Army units were within 12 miles of Kharkov following capture of Stalino, north of the Ukrainian capital, while other Soviet columns swept to Nikitovka, 30 miles west of Kharkov, and to the north still other Russian forces made rapid progress towards Bryansk from captured Orel.

Early liberation of Kharkov was predicted in the wake of Russian advances of nine to 15½ miles that freed more than 100 communities on that front within 24 hours, while Soviet airmen lashed at troop concentrations and bases behind the German lines. In the Orel sector, Russian troops pressing westward toward Bryansk against bitter German resistance liberated more than 60 populated places in

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Music Features Program At Fellowship Meeting

The August meeting of the Men's Christian Fellowship League of Lower Bucks County was held last evening in the Bensalem Methodist Church.

Rev. George C. Lurwick, pastor of the Wilkinson Memorial Methodist Church, Croydon, supplied the following instrumental feature: Fred P. Miller, Phila., violinist; Miss Doris Miller, Phila., piano and accordion; Parker Cowgill, Croydon, clarinet and sweet potato.

The program included duets, single numbers and trios.

Following the musical program, games of all kinds were enjoyed, after which refreshments were served.

The September meeting will be held on September 13th, at the Newtown Methodist Church.

DR. FELL IS OLDEST ALUMNUS OF U. OF P.

Doylestown Physician Also Oldest Alumnus of Lafayette College

NOW 93 YEARS OF AGE

DOYLESTOWN, Aug. 10 — With the distinction of being the oldest alumnus of the University of Pennsylvania, Dr. John A. Fell, 93, of E. Oakland avenue, is receiving congratulations from the medical profession and a legion of friends.

Dr. Fell is likewise, the oldest alumnus of Lafayette College in Easton. Recently the Pennsylvania Gazette, the general magazine and historical chronicle of the University of Pennsylvania, complimented the well-known Doylestown physician editorially.

Dr. Fell practiced medicine in Doylestown until a few years ago. In his more active days he was a member of the Doylestown school board and the Doylestown board of health, and at one time was assistant surgeon of the Sixth Regiment of the Pennsylvania National Guard.

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Firemen To Receive Instructions Tonight

All volunteers for drivers, pump operators and hosemen for the Bristol Volunteer Fire Company No. 6 are requested by Chief Engineer, Henry R. Jolly, to report at Fanuzzi's garage, Farragut avenue, to-night at seven o'clock.

Instructions will be given in field operations. Clifford Hagerman chief of the Bristol Consolidated Fire Department, with a corps of instructors will be on hand to supervise the operation of the pump and hose lines.

TWO FIRE CALLS

Bristol Consolidated firemen were called out twice yesterday for small fires. There was a small fire at the ruins of the Buckley street mill.

Another call was received for a brush fire near the Barton Service Station on Pond street.

ANNOUNCE BIRTH OF DAUGHTER

Mr. and Mrs. T. Russell Stackhouse, Pennsbury, are rejoicing over the arrival of a daughter born in the Wagner Hospital, August 1st.

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RECEIVE WORD FROM SON

Word has been received by Councilman and Mrs. William Warner that their son, Headley, is in Africa.

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HERE AND THERE IN BUCKS COUNTY TOWNS

Activities of Interest To All In The Various Communities

GLEANED BY SCRIBES

The automobile of the Rev. Charles C. Schlitzer, of Quakertown, was demolished when struck by an army jeep on Friday. The jeep, it is stated, failed to make a curve at Quakertown, and struck the car of the pastor of St. John's Lutheran Church.

The jeep was one of a contingent of Army vehicles passing through the borough. Mrs. Schlitzer, her daughter, Claire, of Quakertown,

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Scarcity of Boats

(By "The Stroller")

"Why are rescue squads from this section of Bucks County called to do service at Titusville and Washington Crossing?" I was asked the other day.

So I have made some inquiries to learn the facts.

They tell me a squad is being formed at Lambertville, N. J., but as yet does not have a boat.

They also tell me that there are no row boats between Lambertville and this section of the Delaware River shore. Not even at Washington Crossing where hundreds bathe and picnic.

It is stated that the Lambertville Rescue Squad recently organized and whose members recovered the body of a man drowned Saturday, had to borrow a boat to get into service.

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THE GREAT GAME OF POLITICS

By FRANK R. KENT

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Unexpended Balances

Washington, Aug. 7 — NO FRIEND of the President's was ever more eager to provide every dollar necessary to achieve an early victory in that war than that consistent and effective critic of his spending policies, Senator Harry F. Byrd, of Virginia.

Though the leader of the fight against New Deal wastefulness, from the moment we entered the war, Senator Byrd has voted for every appropriation the President has asked—voted sometimes against his better judgment, but still voted.

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Membership Proposals Made at Grange Session

PLUMSTEADVILLE, Aug. 10 — Four proposals for membership were received by Plumsteadville Grange on Friday evening. An investigating committee, composed of Mrs. Horace Overholts, Sylvester Emilie and Arthur Shull, was named by Master Floyd Friling.

R. F. D. service was the topic of the program when four mail carriers and one postmaster spoke to the members describing some of their experiences in getting the mail through.

Postmaster R. E. Melchor pointed out the importance of addressing letters carefully and of tying packages securely.

Newton Kulp, R. F. D. carrier on an Ottsville route for the past 32 years; Ira Wolfinger, Chalfont mail carrier with 23 years of service, and John Landis, Pipersville mail carrier, who at present has the smallest R. F. D. route in the county, gave some of their experiences as mailmen, all of them pointing out that an R. F. D. carrier is called upon to do many things in addition to delivering mail. Hobart Myers, a star route carrier, also spoke briefly.

Isaac Gross gave a brief history of the part the Grange had in securing R. F. D. service. The idea, he pointed out, was first conceived by a Grange member in 1891, and first tried in Chester county, Pa. The next meeting of the Plumsteadville Grange will be held on August 20th when a picnic will be held at the Grange Hall at seven o'clock.

In the transfer of titles recorded at Doylestown for property in this area is one calling for the transfer of ownership of ten acres in Bristol Township from Mariann Schwartz to Frank Stamato & Co.

The consideration is given as \$2,650. The ground is located at Magnolia Road and Oxford Road.

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Brick and Masonry Type; First To Be Completed In 60 Days

ROADWAYS IN LOOPS

Work got underway yesterday afternoon on the construction of 100 houses on the Fleetwings Estates, Inc. The tract of land on which the houses are to be built comprises over 20 acres, and is located directly opposite No. 2 plant of Fleetwings, Division of Kaiser Cargo, Inc., Beaver Dam Road. It was bought from Harry Larzelere and was formerly part of the Larzelere farm. The sale was made through the office of Hugh B. Eastburn.

If there are any points not covered, please advise either Chairman John H. Wichser or the Fire Committee or myself, as we would like to have this passed by Council at our meeting on August 9th, 1943.

Yours very truly,

JOHN H. WICHSER,
Chairman, Fire Comm.

C. L. ANDERSON,
Burgess.

PAUL D. BROWN,
President, No. 6;

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HIGH OCTANE THEORIES

The voice of Vice President Wallace has produced some high-octane economic theories but the man should be more careful to see that they don't explode in his face.

The Vice President said in a recent address in Iowa that large corporations believed in a policy of "scarcity economics" and that they "always believed in holding down production for profit."

He added: "There's only one program under which agriculture, labor, and, in my opinion, business as well, can prosper after the war, and that's all-out production."

The record shows that Mr. Wallace was Secretary of Agriculture from 1933 to 1940. It was during that period that the program was begun which resulted in paying farmers for failing to raise certain crops—it was during this period that there took place the slaughter of the little pigs. If that was not a period of promoting scarcity for profit, no period of the kind ever existed.

Mr. Wallace would have a difficult time to prove that large corporations believe in a policy of "scarcity economics."

Take the automobile industry. It turned out cars for the American people at lower and lower prices until the counties, states and nation were beside themselves trying to build roads fast enough to accommodate the growing number of automobiles.

Government showed a woeful lack of imagination in planning highways for the increasing number of automobiles, but the automobile manufacturing industry certainly never could be accused of trying to keep its product out of the hands of the American public.

Not did the auto manufacturers ever stage a big bonfire and burn a half million cars as a means of raising the price of the machines.

There is no parallel in history for the slaughter of the pig.

It was the global war which led the New Deal to foster all-out production in agriculture, and then it didn't know how to go about it because it was so thoroughly accustomed to promoting a policy of "scarcity."

Mr. Wallace's statements about corporations are no more surprising than his statement regarding politics. He says "the enemies of President Roosevelt have never adjourned politics. The President adjourned politics to prosecute the war."

Of all Wallace's frothings, that seems to be the one that calls for the curtain.

The four Jap soldiers who surrendered on Attu can neither go home in disgrace nor to Hawaii in glory.

An Indiana-Kentucky border pact has been approved, thus showing the Balkans how to do things without a shooting.

The advice that each housewife must can 130 quarts of food this year will appeal to the woman who lives in an efficiency apartment.

NEWS BRIEFS FROM SUBURBAN TOWNS

HULMEVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Ned Moyer and children, Joan, "Jack," and Ned, Jr., of Hulmeville, and Mrs. John W. Meyer, of Bristol, returned to their homes on Sunday following a week's vacation at West Wildwood, N. J.

Sunday visitors of Mrs. Joseph Keen were her daughter and grandson, Mrs. Charles Smith and Donald Smith of Doylestown.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Wesley Hufnagel and son Donald are spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. William Kelley, at Providence, Md.

George LeCompte is a guest this week of his son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John LeCompte, Trenton, N. J.

The place of residence of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Marx and Mrs. Mary Dolan has been changed from Main street to South Langhorne.

Mrs. Joseph Foley and son, Joseph, Philadelphia, were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Blackshire, Main street, Thursday evening.

Barbara Nancy Blackshire, Tate city, is visiting her cousins, Howard and Edward Blackshire, for two weeks.

Little "Eddie" Blackshire celebrated his first birthday on Sunday. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stevenson, Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Smith, Mrs. Anna Mae Blackshire, Adams, Philadelphia; Barbara Blackshire, Tacoma; Horace Jenkins, Howard Blackshire, and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Blackshire.

Miss Jane Chamberlain spent yesterday as the guest of Miss Rita Dugan, of Bristol.

What You Buy With WAR BONDS

Stronger and Faster



Our military leaders are "air minded" in the battle for Victory. **We on the home front must be "Bond-minded" to pay for it!**

U. S. Treasury Department

Mr. and Mrs. George Kurtz on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Weber entertained friends and relatives on Sunday.

Mrs. Bessie Campbell of Bristol is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Louis Rosenman.

Miss Rita Blosch is spending a week's vacation at Ocean City, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. James McLoskey, Hyberry, visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fries on Sunday.

There will be a covered dish luncheon Thursday afternoon at 12 o'clock in King Hall, served by the St. Agnes' Guild.

TORRESDALE MANOR

Mr. and Mrs. Doris G. Covington, and Mr. and Mrs. Dorothy, to announce the engagement of their daughter, Dorothy, to Albert F. Vickers, U. S. Army, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Vickers.

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\$21,500, and the tax rate of 12 mills remains the same for the next year. There is a balance on hand in the board treasury for 1943-44 amounting to \$11,922.97.

This means that the present board, in its conservative and economical policy of operation in wartime that means numerous restrictions, is making an effort to lower the total indebtedness still more so that the borough will have a greater borrowing capacity for a new school building when the proper times arrives.

ANDALUSIA

Mrs. Harry Tomlinson is on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph McCafferty and children, Mr. and Mrs. John Kurtz and children were guests of

before dawn he heard a car drive up and the sound of low voices. Still later, from Alter's room above him, Drew thought he heard a slight movement, but he could not be sure. Then silence again except for the steadily marching feet outside. Drew closed his eyes.

Drew trudged feebly through the heavy curtains of the room where Franz Alter lay. Dimly it lighted the sleeping figure beneath the sheets; then, strengthening, traced in vague relief the outline of another form standing quietly beside the bed.

Free of those clutching fingers, Drew rose again, but his flesh was on fire. No sound in the darkness—they were both waiting for the next flash of light, and Drew knew that the stabbing torture of the acid would not let him wait long. Once more the electrodes hissed; once more in ghastly bluish outline the room came to life, and just ahead Drew saw Franz lying down. Crouching, he waited, then with all the power left to him he struck. Full on Franz's jaw; the blow landed; a stab of pain darted through Drew's hand; he saw Franz rise upward, stammer, and fall.

Another flash, and Franz lay huddled beside the desk.

On hands and knees Drew crawled to the door, opened it, and fell unconscious to the floor.

Franz was bending over Drew when he awoke to find himself in a familiar bed.

Seeing Drew's eyes open, the doctor smiled a little grimly. "Sooner or later," he observed, "you or your friend always come to my hospital for repairs. But you are in no great need of me. I have cut away your clothes. They were soaked through with sulphuric acid—luckily for you, a weak solution."

Drew moistened his lips. "Where is Alter?"

"In bed up in his laboratory. He will bear the marks of your fight for many days." "What about Nan?"

"Gloria is with her." Drew's eyes flared up in sudden anger. "He struck her, that!" He broke off, and for a time he brooded; then as if to himself he murmured, "Pacifica."

Moving back, he turned on the table light. "I leave you now, but I have one piece of news for you before I go—a cable from Dr. Marvin. A successful operation on your friend Diaz was performed this morning."

Drew pulled himself bolt upright in the bed. "You mean—no more?"

"You will please to be down and not disturb that bantam. Yes, he can see." The doctor moved away.

"I shall lock your door for the night, senior, and there will be a soldier stationed in the hall. It is better that you remain here. I do this for your safety. Good night."

Drew wondered if he read some special meaning in Diaz's words. He could not be sure. Of one thing alone he was certain—the surgeon's old dislike for him still lingered, but less strongly than before.

It was hours before Drew slept, and then only briefly. The sting of the acid, the memory of that night, and the restoration of Diaz's sight all conspired to drive sleep away. From the corridor outside the slow tread of feet came in to him. Was he in effect under some form of arrest? Or was Diaz alive to some new danger from Franz Alter?

Two days had brought changes up at Wildcat 13. A bustling survey camp had risen on the savanna; a crew of laborers was widening the road, and long lines of States Oil trucks rumbled up the hill with loads of pipe line. Wildcat 13 was in production.

The shacks had just been replaced

by large frame buildings on the morning when Ray Cutter drove in and found Gloria and Drew arranging the furniture.

The States Oil superintendent seemed well content. "Just just about winds it up." He tapped the heavy sheaf of paper in his hand.

"I never had much doubt that the government would kick around with the permit ever since they found the Planet warehouse was a disguised arsenal. But it's just as well to have everything duly signed and sealed. From now on we're in the clear."

He smiled at Gloria. "That father of yours is an old fox. I don't believe he looks us concentrates any better than ever, but he's so boosted his stock with Veracruz and Americans both, the way he cracked down on the Planet outfit." Alter's big mistake was to raise his hand to Nan. That was the last thing Diaz couldn't stand.

With the ever-present handkerchief Cutter wiped his face. "Well, Planet Export is washed up for good."

But Drew shook his head. "Planet Export may be Ray, but not the people who sent them. They'll try again. South America is too big and too defenseless for them to hold off long."

Cutter shrugged. "I wouldn't know. And it's not one of my worries." He grinned. "Right now my worry is what to get you two for a wedding present." He turned to Gloria. "How's my old buddy Dr. Diaz feel about your marrying this gringa?"

"He will not even talk of it," the girl answered.

Cutter climbed into his car. "I tell you what—you name the first boy after him and I'll think the whole thing was his own idea!" His face sobered. "What about Nan Alter?" Someone said she was going away.

"She's leaving on the next boat for New York," Drew answered.

"To live there?"

"I think so. Here there would be too many memories. Back in the States she will find old friends and new ones. She's still young; she can make up for the years Frank Alter stole from her."

On the edge of the bed Gloria had a small phial, and very slightly the ether mixed beneath the sheets.

For the last time both men looked into each other's eyes, as little drops of perspiration gathered on Alter's lips.

"One plays for high stakes in this game of chance," Gloria's monotonous voice said again.

"You must pay the price of failure. I go now to report."

Once more the huge form trembled, white through the coining dawn. Franz Alter fought for courage, and the impulsive figure waited quietly by the bed. Like a bloodstained spear, the first red shaft of sunrise pierced the half-drawn curtains, touching the flame that tiny panel. The slate-gray eyes watched it, fascinated.

Then again the patiently insistent voice. "I am waiting, Franz. Must I—"

"No." Through stiff, unwilling lips he forced the answer. "No, Excellency." Unsteadily his hand reached forward to the phial.

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The auditor's report was submitted by J. Kirk Leatherman, Charles A. Liebig and James E. Groff.

The assessed valuation of taxable real estate in Doylestown borough amounts to \$3,649,580. There were 3244 assessed with per capita tax and the per capita tax rate is .43.

During the past year non-resident pupils paid \$29,104.49 in tuition. It is believed that the monthly tuition rate will be raised slightly for the next year.

Assets of the Doylestown school district are listed at \$399,931.42 divided as follows:

School buildings and sites, \$269,599; 1942 tax, \$99,181; 1941 tax, \$1,718.31; 1940 tax, \$385.27; previous to 1940 duplicate, \$271.36; tuition receivable, \$139.23; sinking fund balance, \$2,146.71; general fund balance, \$11,922.97.

Listed under expense of general control:

Secretary's office, salaries, \$290; treasurer, commission or salary, \$100; tax collector, \$1,027.77; auditors, \$15; census enumeration, \$50; other expenses of general control, \$527.

Total receipts of the past year were \$129,748.53, which included a balance on hand July 6, 1942, of \$167,889.45 in the general fund. Property tax collected in 1942 was \$42,894.06 and per capita tax was \$7,964, or a total of \$51,925.75 in

taxes. Delinquent taxes amounted to \$3,264.09. State appropriations for teachers, transportation, tuition and vocational amounted to an additional \$35,422.05. Tuition of non-resident pupils and another \$128.70 income brought the total receipts of the year to \$129,748.53.

Expenses of auxiliary agencies and coordinate activities: Social centers and recreation, \$514; medical inspection, \$150; nurse service, \$1,379.70; dental service, \$88.55; commencement exercise and exhibition, \$189.92; other expenses of instruction, \$15.55.

Expenses of operation of school plant: Wages of janitors and other employees, \$3,945.90; fuel, \$2,683.71; water, \$184.27; light and power, \$1,100.95; janitor's supplies, \$1,378.92; services other than personal, \$9, telephone rental, \$244.47; other expenses, \$11.

Expenses of maintenance of school plant: Upkeep of grounds, \$130.74; repair of buildings, \$654.47; repairs of replacement heating, plumbing and lighting, \$1,577.33; repairs and replacement of other equipment, \$416.07.

Expenses of fixed charges: State retirement fund, \$2,277.14; rent, \$100; insurance (life and war risk), \$663.66; compensation insurance, \$192.63; other expenses, \$2.95.

Listed as capital outlay in the White House or the Treasury seems concerned on this score. Yet, the unnecessary waste of public funds in this war is almost beyond belief and there exists among those who are wasting them no sense of responsibility.

Under THESE conditions, Senator Byrd rises to point out that on July 1 this year there was in the Treasury appropriated for war purposes at the request of the President, more than \$263,000,000,000 of unexpended balances—money asked for but not spent. In addition, the war agencies have authority to make contracts for nearly \$25,000,000,000 more. Up to July 1, we had spent, for war purposes, a little more than \$100,000,000,000 in three years. Therefore, we have now on hand in unexpended balances more than twice as much as we have disbursed. Now then, Senator Byrd says we have sufficient unexpended

DoylesTown Yeoman Now Stationed at Washington

DOYLESTOWN, Aug. 10 — Miss Erna Linsenmaier, a graduate of Buckingham high school, is among the women reservists now on duty with the U. S. Navy in Washington, D. C., according to an announcement from the Office of Public Relations of the Navy Department.

She is the daughter of Mrs. Emilie Linsenmaier, South Main street, and is now a yeoman, stationed at the Bureau of Naval Personnel. Miss Linsenmaier reported aboard on Friday, June 16.

As an enlisted woman in the U. S. Naval Reserve Yeoman Linsenmaier is one of several thousand women who have been assigned to Washington to serve as direct replacements for Navy men, releasing them to fight at sea with the fleet.

Miss Linsenmaier, who was at one time employed at the Department of Public Assistance, here, received her recruit and specialist training at Stillwater, Okla.

In a Personal Way ---

INTERESTING bits of news mainly about people you know. A chronicle of the activities of the people of Bristol; their goings and comings.

To arrange for publication of wedding banns, etc., in the Bristol Courier, Bristol \$45, notification at least a few days in advance of the date of ceremony. Engagements announcements must be submitted in writing.

Robert Hickey, of Chester, was a guest last week of his grandmother, Mrs. Nellie Heath.

PFC Roy Bailey, Jr., who was stationed at New River, N. C., has been transferred to Camp Pendleton, Cal. Roy's home address is Jackson street.

Mr. and Mrs. James Gardner, Mt. Holly, N. J., have been spending ten days with Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Martin, Jackson street.

Miss Hanora Dennen, of Exchange, is spending several weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bills, Washington street.

Mrs. Robert Hunt, Key West, Fla., is making an extended visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James A. Hoffman, Pine street.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Vodarski and daughter Dorothy and son Stanley, Philadelphia, and Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Wilinski and daughter Barbara, Delanco, N. J., were guests during the past week of Mr. and Mrs. Julius Vodarski, Hayes street.

Staff Sgt. George Kerlyn and wife, Baltimore, Md., spent Thursday until Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Victor Johnson, Hayes street, and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Marino, Lafayette street.

Mrs. Salvatore DiLorenzo and son Michael, Tacony, spent several days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Frank DiPalma, Corson street.

Miss Sylvia Singer, Mill street, has accepted a position in the office of Roberts and Mander, Hatboro.

Warren Armstrong, Sr., Jefferson avenue, spent the past few days with his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Newburg, Jr., Lynnbrook, L. I.

Miss Katharine Booth, Beaver street, was the guest of relatives in

cliff street, and Mrs. Jonathan Wright, Yardley, spent Saturday and Sunday at Beach Haven, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hirsch, Spring street, spent last week in New York City.

Miss Mamie Hazzard, Jefferson avenue, has been spending the past few days with relatives in Trenton, N. J.

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Today's Quiet Moment
(By the Rev. James R. Galley)

Pastor

Bristol Presbyterian Church

We thank Thee, O Father, for the gifts which thou dost give unto us—gifts which so often are forgotten, and for which we are so seldom grateful. We thank thee for the light of the sun, which casts its light and warmth over all the earth, bringing seeds into blossom and fruit, bringing strength to weakened bodies, bringing light into a darkened world. We thank thee for the rain which dampens the earth and nourishes the crops. We thank thee for thy love which makes all these gifts possible. Make us appreciative of these daily blessings, and enable us to demonstrate our appreciation in our daily living. Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

A guest over the weekend of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Treude, Pond street, was Mrs. Treude's sister, Mrs. Herbert Greenhalge, Philadelphia.

ON THE SCREENS

GRAND THEATRE

Philadelphia, the latter part of the week.

Miss Alice Rafferty and nieces, the Misses Isabel and Ellen Heath, Buckley street, were visitors in New York City the latter part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Arnold, Radcliffe street, Miss Edith Vandegrift, Mifflin street, Miss Jessie Fine, Wood street, Mrs. Madeline Wheeler, Van

An authentic background for many scenes in "Pilot No. 5," dramatic story of an American fighter pilot which opens Wednesday at the Grand Theatre, was provided by the Cal-Aero army air corps training school near Pomona, Cal.

Franchot Tone, Gene Kelly, Van

Johnson and other male members of the cast, spent several days at the huge air corps training center filming scenes from the timely movie. During that time they carefully inspected the camp and gained an insight into the rigid training air corps cadets receive.

Marsha Hunt, who last scored in "Seven Sweethearts," has another important role in "Pilot No. 5."

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BRISTOL THEATRE

Franchot Tone had to put on a specially-built shoe with a four-inch thick sole and weighing five pounds during the filming of the North African adventure film of the Rommel road, "Five Graves to Cairo." The picture is showing for the last times today at the Bristol Theatre with Anne Baxter co-

starred with Tone, and Erich von Stroheim playing Marshal Rommel. Tone had to wear the strange footgear in order to give himself the appearance and walk of a man with a club-foot, his disguise for his role of British soldier-espionage in the picture.

RITZ THEATRE

Spectacular gun fighting on a high ledge on the facade of a pretentious hotel in Istanbul provides a stirring and suspenseful sequence in "Journey Into Fear." Orson Welles, producer and co-author of the screen melodrama, is the focal

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FORT DIX EASILY BEATS FLEETWINGS IN LOP-SIDED GAME

Airplane Workers' IX Plays Worse Than Schoolboy Team

SCORE ENDS AT 20 TO 1

Fort Dix Soldiers Make A Total of 16 Hits in Game

The Fleetwings team played worse than a schoolboy team last evening on the high school field as it was trounced by the Fort Dix nine, 20-1, in a lopsided game which saw the soldiers avenge an early season defeat.

The Bristol team appeared licked in the first inning when with two out Dick Hirst dropped a fly in center to allow a pair of tallies to cross the plate. From then on, it was droopy playing for the Fleetwings as the Fort Dix boys took advantage of everything to pile up the runs.

The Fort Dix soldiers made a total of sixteen hits and were aided by ten Fleetwings errors. They ran the bases in fine style and easily stretched hits which should have held them to first base. Every player in the Fort Dix lineup had at least one hit with Perello leading the attack with three bingles. Luszanski, former Harrisburg player, put the ball over the fence in the fourth but ground rules held him to a double.

While the Jerseymen were slambanging the ball, the Fleetwings had difficulty in solving the hooks of Stroud Fields, of Bentonville, Arkansas. For four frames, Fields held the local airmen without a run or hit but in the fifth a pair of doubles by D'Asendio and Mitchell gave the locals their only marker of the tilt.

Manager Russ Stanton, of the homesters, started Georgie Friedman on the hill and he was relieved by Stout during the 11-run upheaval of the soldiers in the third. Before the uprising was quelled, Jack Allen took up the pitching baton and finished the game.

Line-ups:

	ab	r	h	o	a	e
Luszanski If	4	1	2	0	0	0
Hirst cf	5	1	2	0	0	0
Longacre of	3	4	2	0	0	0
Cieslak 3b	4	3	3	0	2	2
Marshall c	4	3	3	0	2	2
Danckers 1b	5	1	2	0	0	0
Meschini 2b	4	1	1	0	0	0
Verdel rf	4	1	1	0	0	0
Fields p	4	1	1	0	0	0
	36	20	16	18	9	3

	ab	r	h	o	a	e
Fleetwings	1	0	0	0	2	2
DeBlasio 3b ss	1	0	0	1	1	1
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P. E. Ritter 2b	1	0	0	1	1	1
Breslin lf	3	0	0	1	0	0
DeRisi 1b	2	0	0	3	1	3
Hirst cf	1	0	0	1	2	1
Stockton rf ss	2	0	0	1	0	0
McGinnis p	1	0	0	1	0	0
Friedman p	0	0	0	1	0	0
Stout p	0	0	0	1	0	0
Allen p	2	0	0	0	1	0
Other p	0	0	0	0	1	0
D'Asendio cf	1	1	0	0	0	0
Caplan rf	1	0	0	0	1	0
	24	1	4	18	16	10

Innings: Fort Dix 2 2 11 3 0 2—20
Fleetwings 0 0 0 0 1 0—1

Two-base hits: Luszanski, Cieslak, Marshall, DeBlasio, Ritter, Breslin, DeRisi, Hirst, Stockton, McInnis, Friedman, Passarelli, Breslin, Stoltz, Allen, Fields, Friedman, Stout, 0; Allen, 0; Bass on balls by Fields, 0; Friedman, 3; Stout, 0; Allen, 2. Umpires: Collier, Arcolessi and Faiaia. Score: June.

ROHM & HAAS NINE SETS DIAMOND BACK

BRISTOL SUBURBAN LEAGUE Schedule for Tonight ROHM & HAAS - VOLTZ-TEXACO (Maple Beach field)

The Rohm and Haas nine made definitely sure that the Diamond team would be out of the second half race by handing it a 7-3 beating last evening on the Maple Beach field. The triumph put the chemical workers in a deadlock with Voltz-Texaco for first place. These two clubs meet tonight.

Wilson Holland, on the mound for the first time this season, held the Diamond players to six hits while the winners made 12 off the pitching of Henny Morgan and Bob Falkenburg. Hetherington, G. Ritter, and Sullivan led the attack against the Diamond hurlers while Walt Foerst had two of the Diamond six hits.

The game was close until the third when Rohm and Haas took a 2-run lead and increased it by counting another pair of runs in the fourth. Holland bore down from the second inning on and blanketed the Mill streeters in the last four frames.

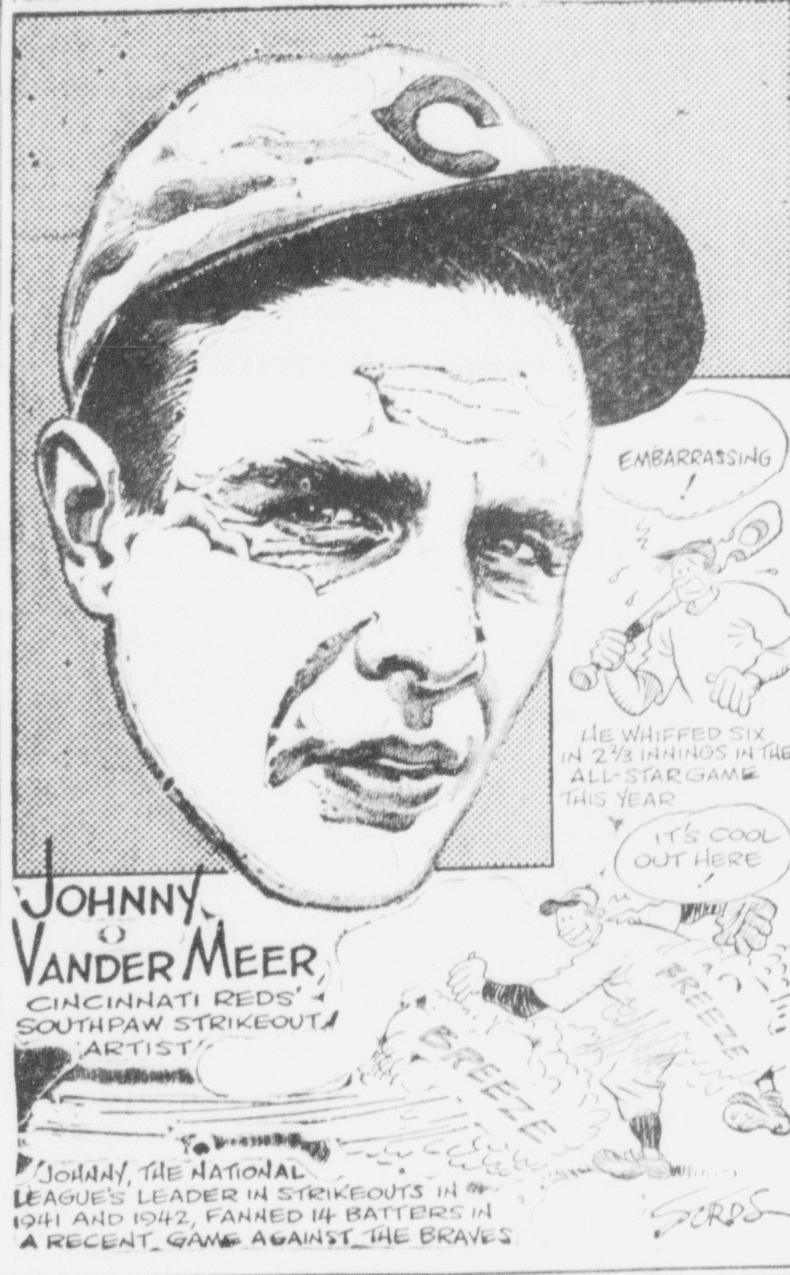
	ab	r	h	o	a	e
Hetherington 2b	3	2	3	2	1	0
G. Ritter 3b	3	2	3	2	1	0
Hunter cf	3	1	1	1	4	1
Sullivan 1b	3	0	2	0	0	0
DeLuca lf	3	0	2	0	0	0
W. Ritter rf	3	1	1	0	0	0
Murphy cf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Vanzant c	1	0	1	5	0	0
Holland p	2	0	1	0	0	0
	24	7	12	18	8	8

	ab	r	h	o	a	e
Diamond	5	0	1	1	2	0
Pappaterra 3b	3	0	0	3	1	0
Elmer 2b	3	1	0	0	2	1
Bauroth ss	3	1	0	0	2	1
W. Ritter cf	3	1	1	0	0	0
Sackville lf	3	0	2	0	1	0
Crossan 1b	2	1	1	5	0	2
Forster rf	3	1	2	0	0	0
DeMorgan p cf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pfenngrath cf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Morgan p	2	0	1	0	2	0
	25	3	6	15	7	8

Innings: Diamond 1 2 0 0 0 0—8
R. H. 2 2 1 2 0 x—7
Two-base hits: Weiser, G. Ritter. Sacrifice hits: Vanzant, 2; Bauroth, 0; Morgan, 2; Falkenburg, 0.

STRIKEOUT ARTIST

By Jack Sords



Bensalem Branch Reports for July

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garments, and 18 women finished 23 pairs of gloves in 18 hours.

Eight women from the branch served 51 hours at the food packing center, Philadelphia. Mrs. Perkins has been asked by Mrs. H. L. Erlichman, chapter chairman in charge of building the nine hole golf course for the Valley Forge Hospital for wounded soldiers of this war, to help in collecting golf clubs, new or used, for this project. The game of golf serves a dual purpose—to help in restoring muscular action as well as pleasantly occupying the time of convalescents.

The acute shortage of volunteer nurses for the armed forces still exists and it is feared that unless quotas are fulfilled, drafting of nurses may become a reality. Red Cross urges all home-loving women to come forward and enroll for the home nursing course which indirectly relieves registered nurses and thus helps with the recruiting problem.

The War at A Glance

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gains ranging from three and a half to seven and a half miles.

In the Pacific, Gen. Douglas MacArthur's headquarters announced massive aerial blows at the Japanese base at Salamaua, New Guinea, and the Vila airframe and Bairoko harbor in the Solomons.

Salamaua was blasted with 103 tons of explosives in a coordinated attack by heavy and medium bombers while Allied artillery, supporting American and Australian ground troops approaching the enemy base, bombarded Jap forward positions.

In the Solomons, the Vila airfield on Kolombangara Island was raked with 63 tons of bombs for the second successive day while 22 tons were dumped on the Bairoko harbor area on adjoining New Georgia Island in support of American jungle troops advancing northward from the captured Munda airfield.

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On September 14, 1933, the Medical Society of the State of Pennsylvania presented a testimonial to Dr. Fell "in recognition of his 59 years of medical service faithfully performed to his community in the traditional ideals of the medical profession."

Dr. Fell always took a keen interest in community affairs before he was physically incapacitated to carry on his practice, and he still is vitally interested in Doylestown.

Councilman William Warner, second ward, said that he had seen Chief Jones and Burgess Anderson making a survey the other day.

Police reported a number of arrests during the month of July and that the cases had been disposed of as follows:

Discharged, four; held for court, five; fined, eight; continued, one.

The police radio car answered 174 alarms. Seven were fined for "all-night" parking and two were discharged. Nineteen incandescent lights were reported out. Eleven arc lights and 14 bridge lights were reported out. Ten lodgers were given shelter.

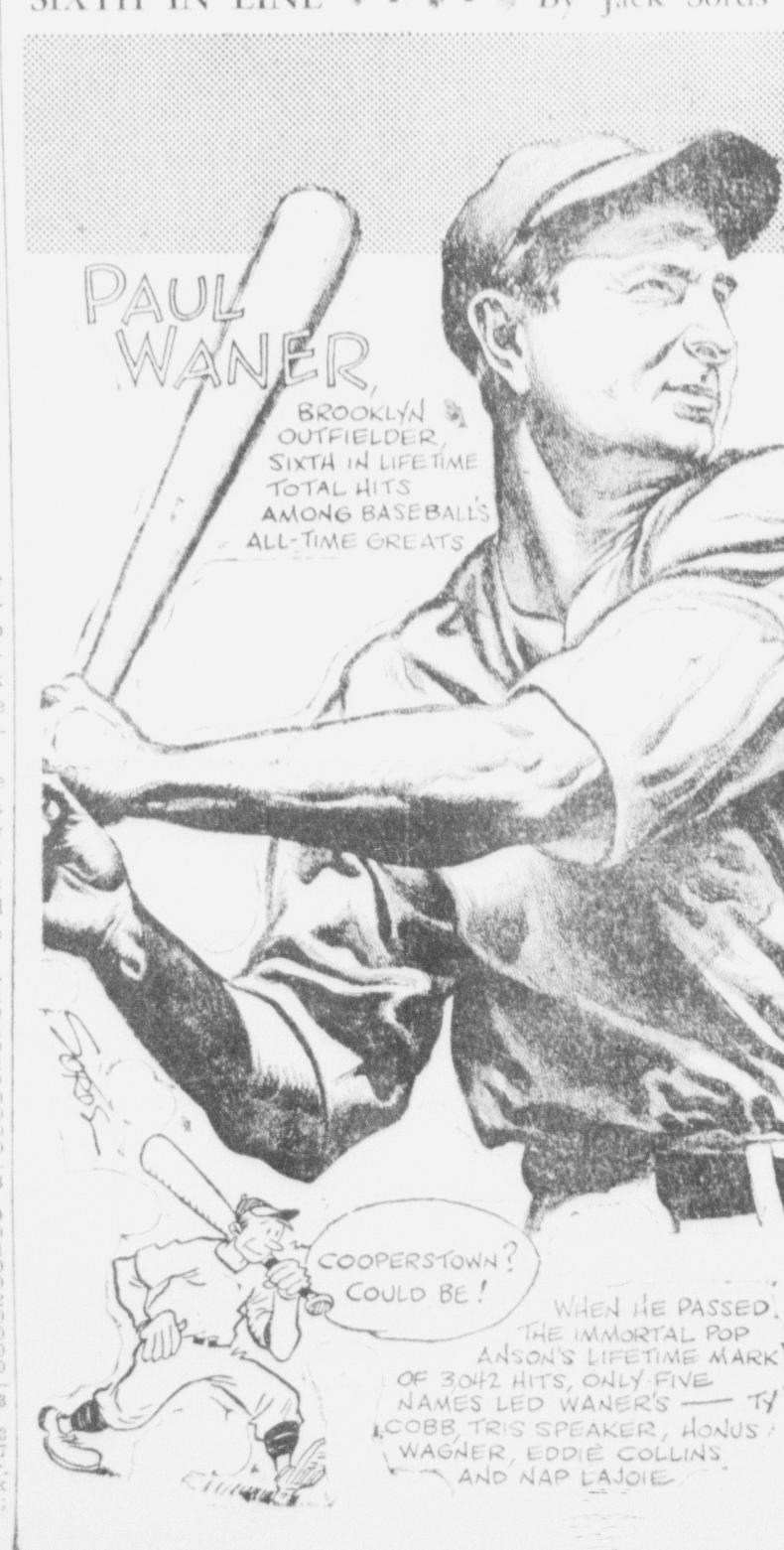
Councilman William Pearson, sixth ward, asked what progress was being made in having an ordinance drawn to compel property owners to have the weeds cut down on their property. Councilman Winter stated that the matter was in the hands of the borough solicitor.

Owing to the absence of Dr. J. Fred Wagner, president of council, the meeting was called to order by Burgess Anderson who asked that a temporary chairman be selected. William Warner was chosen to preside.

Councilmen absent were: Wagner, Vandegrift, Roche, Mulligan, Galzerano, Clark and Conklin.

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SIXTH IN LINE By Jack Sords



Construction of 100 Houses is Under Way

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The houses will be for defense workers only.

The landscaping is to be a feature of the project, all roadways being laid out in loops. The landscaping and architectural work will be in keeping with the very latest standards, and the color combinations on both the interior and exterior will be of harmonious arrangement. Each property will have a minimum of 5000 square feet of land, and each house will be fully insulated. The selling price has

been placed at \$5000 each, and the total project will represent an investment of a half million dollars. Water will be furnished by Bristol borough.

Contractors with machinery arrived at the project yesterday shortly before noon, and the work of excavating got underway immediately.

Dr. Fell is Oldest Alumnus of U. of P.

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Dr. Fell was born in Buckingham on October 21, 1859, the son of Jesse and Priscilla Sands Fell. He is of the sixth generation of a family which settled in Bucks county 138 years ago in 1765.

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